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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant(s) : Hideaki OKAMURA
Serial No. : 09/517,018
For : DATA PROCESSING APPARATUS, DATA PROCESSING METHOD, AND PROGRAM PROVIDING MEDIUM
Filed : March 2, 2000
Examiner : TRUONG, Lechi
Group Art Unit : 2126

COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

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☐ No additional fee is required.

☒ The fee has been calculated as shown below.

☐ This is an application of a small entity under 37 CFR 1.9(f), and the amounts shown in parentheses apply.

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Claims as Amended

(1)	(2) Claims remaining after amendment	(3)	(4) Highest number previously paid for	(5) Present extra	(6) Rate	(7) Additional fee
Total claims	38	Minus	36 =	2 ×	\$18(9)	= \$36.00
Independent claims	6	Minus	6 =	0 ×	\$84(42)	= 0
			Total additional fee for This amendment			\$36.00

- * If the entry in Column 2 is less than the entry in Column 4, write "0" in Column 5.
** If the highest number of total claims previously paid for is less than 20, write "20" in this space.
*** If the highest number of independent claims previously paid for is less than 3, write "3" in this space.

☐ This application contains a multiple dependent claim. The required fee of \$260 (\$130) has been previously paid __, or is paid herewith __.

☐ This response is being filed within the month following the expiration of the term originally set therefor. This is a petition to request a -month extension of time. A check covering the cost of the petition is enclosed.

☒ Other Attachments: Request for Approval of Drawing Corrections; Fig. 12 (Changes Marked in Red)

☒ A check in the amount of \$36.00 is attached, which covers the cost of ☒ additional claims and ☐ -month petition for extension of time.

☐ Charge \$__ to Deposit Account No. 50-0320.

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Date of Signature

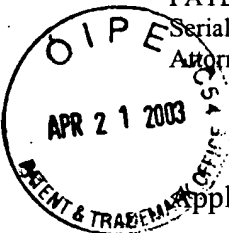
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REQUEST FOR APPROVAL OF DRAWING CORRECTIONS

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Sir:

Subject to the approval of the Examiner, please make the following corrections to the
drawings.

In Fig. 12, please make the following changes to the figure:

Please change the label of the arrow from box S2 to S3 from the text "YES" to --NO--.

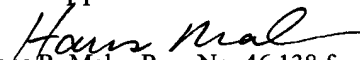
Please change the label of the arrow from box S2 to S7 from the text "NO" to --YES--.

These changes are also indicated in red ink on the enclosed photocopies.

Formal drawings including this correction will be submitted upon conclusion of the prosecution of this application.

Respectfully submitted,

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